IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the following claims which are pending in the present

application:

1. (Currently amended) An apparatus comprising:

a functional bezel having a first opening to receive an optical disk and a

first plurality of attachment features; and

a cosmetic bezel having a second opening to receive the optical disk and

second plurality of attachment features wherein the first opening and the second

opening are in alignment,

wherein the functional bezel and the cosmetic bezel are attached to form

an integrated optical drive bezel, the integrated optical drive bezel configured to

be coupled to an optical drive after the functional bezel and the cosmetic bezel

are attached to form the integrated optical drive.

2. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the functional

bezel provides structural rigidity for the optical drive.

3. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 further comprising a

cosmetic screen attached to the cosmetic bezel.

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4. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the functional bezel includes a plurality of mounting points for mounting the functional bezel

to the optical drive and for mounting the functional bezel to an enclosure that

houses the optical drive.

5. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the functional

bezel includes a plurality of mounting points for mounting the functional bezel

to various configurations of various optical drives.

6. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the first

plurality of attachment features of the functional bezel matches the second

plurality of attachment features.

7. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 further comprising a disk

guide wherein the disk guide facilitates proper attachment of the optical disk into

the optical drive.

8. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 further comprising a disk

guide wherein the disk guide includes a ramp feature to point the optical disk

down into the optical drive during injection and to point the optical disk up during ejection.

- 9. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the cosmetic bezel includes a recess configured to receive the cosmetic screen.
- 10. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the second opening in the cosmetic bezel is larger than the first opening in the functional bezel to facilitate injection or ejection.
- 11. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the cosmetic screen performs at least one of minimizing contaminants into the optical disk drive and wiping the optical disk as the optical disk is being inserted into the optical drive.
- (Currently amended) An optical disk drive assembly comprising:
 an optical disk drive;

an optical drive bezel assembly coupled to the optical disk drive, the optical drive bezel assembly having a functional bezel rigidly attached to a cosmetic bezel, wherein a slot is provided in the optical drive bezel assembly to

allow an optical disk to pass therethrough and wherein the slot remains open when a disk is in the optical drive, wherein the optical drive bezel assembly is coupled to the optical disk drive after the functional bezel is rigidly attached to the cosmetic bezel.

- 13. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 12 further comprises a cosmetic screen disposed between the functional bezel and the cosmetic bezel, the cosmetic screen fixedly attached to the cosmetic bezel.
- 14. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 12 further comprising a cosmetic screen disposed between the function bezel and the cosmetic bezel, the cosmetic screen fixedly attached to the cosmetic bezel.
- 15. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 14 wherein the functional bezel has a first opening to receive the optical disk and a first plurality of attachment features, the functional bezel coupled to the optical drive, and the cosmetic bezel has a second opening to receive the optical disk and second plurality of attachment features, wherein the first opening and the second opening are in attachment to form the slot.

- 16. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 14 wherein the functional bezel provides structural rigidity for the optical disk drive.
- 17. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 14 wherein the functional bezel includes a plurality of mounting points for mounting the functional bezel to the optical disk drive.
- 18. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 14 wherein the functional bezel includes a plurality of mounting points configured for mounting the functional bezel to the slot loading optical disk drive.
- 19. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 14 wherein the first plurality of attachment features of the functional bezel matches the second plurality of attachment features.
- 20. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 14 wherein the disk guide facilitates proper attachment of the optical disk into the optical drive.

- 21. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 14 wherein the disk guide includes a ramp feature to point the optical disk down into the optical drive during injection and to point the optical disk up during ejection.
- 22. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 14 wherein the cosmetic bezel includes a recess configured to receive the cosmetic screen.
- 23. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 14 wherein the second opening in the cosmetic bezel is larger than the first opening in the functional bezel to facilitate injection or ejection of the optical disk.
- 24. (Previously Presented) The optical disk drive assembly of claim 14 wherein the cosmetic screen performs at least one of minimizing contaminants into the optical disk drive and wiping the optical disk as the optical disk is being inserted into the optical disk drive.
- 25. (Currently amended) A computer system comprising: an enclosure;

an optical drive coupled to the enclosure;

a functional bezel having a first opening to receive an optical disk and a

first attachment feature; and

a cosmetic bezel having a second opening to receive the optical disk and

second attachment feature, the cosmetic bezel rigidly coupled to the functional

bezel through a coupling of the first and the second attachment features, wherein

the first opening and the second opening are in alignment through the coupling

of the first and the second attachment features,

wherein the cosmetic bezel is rigidly coupled to the functional bezel to

form an integrated bezel assembly, the integrated bezel assembly coupled to the

optical drive and the enclosure after the cosmetic bezel is rigidly coupled to the

functional bezel to form the integrated bezel assembly.

26. (Previously presented) The computer system of claim 25 wherein the

optical drive is rigidly mounted to the enclosure.

27. (Previously presented) The computer system of claim 25 further comprises

a cosmetic screen attached to the cosmetic bezel.

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- 28. (Previously presented) The computer system of claim 27 wherein the cosmetic bezel includes a recess configured to receive the cosmetic screen.
- 29. (Previously presented) The computer system of claim 25 wherein the functional bezel provides structural rigidity for the optical drive.
- 30. (Previously presented) The computer system of claim 25 wherein the functional bezel includes a plurality of mounting points for mounting the functional bezel to the optical drive.
- 31. (Previously presented) The computer system of claim 25 wherein the functional bezel includes a plurality of mounting points configured for mounting the functional bezel to the optical drive.
- 32. (Previously presented) The computer system of claim 25 wherein the first attachment feature of the functional bezel matches the second attachment feature.
- 33. (Previously presented) The computer system of claim 25 wherein the disk guide facilitates proper attachment of the optical disk into the optical drive.

- 34. (Previously presented) The computer system of claim 25 wherein the disk guide includes a ramp feature to point the optical disk down into the optical drive during injection and to point the optical disk up during ejection.
- 35. (Previously presented) The computer system of claim 25 wherein the second opening in the cosmetic bezel is larger than the first opening in the functional bezel to facilitate injection or ejection of the optical disk.
- 36. (Previously presented) The computer system of claim 25 wherein the functional bezel facilitates slot loading of the optical disk into the optical drive.